

25 JAN 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Senator Claiborne Pell (D., R.I.)

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JOHN S. WARNER
Legislative Counsel

Attachments:

Suggested Guest List
Biography

The recommendation in paragraph 3 is approved:



Director

28 JAN 1961

Date

FELL, Senator Claiborne (D., Rhode Island)

BIRTHPLACE: New York City
BIRTHDATE: 22 November 1918
MARITAL STATUS: Married

RESIDENCE:
CHILDREN: 4

EDUCATION: Private schools in New York and Rhode Island. Princeton (1940) with honors, Columbia University (1946). M.A. in international administration. A linguist, campaigned in French, Portuguese and Italian.

PUBLIC CAREER:

Congresses: 87th

Current Congressional Committees: Labor and Public Welfare; Rules and Administration

Other: Special assistant to the State Department at the 1945 United Nations conference in San Francisco, Foreign Service and State Department 1945-52, in the U.S. and in posts in Czechoslovakia and Italy. Consultant to the Democratic National Committee since 1953.

Military Service: Enlisted in Coast Guard four months before Pearl Harbor and was a lieutenant by the end of the war. He is now a commander in the Coast Guard reserves. Was hospitalized in the service and brought back to the U.S.

PRIVATE CAREER:

After graduation from Princeton in 1940, went to Europe where he tried to aid those in concentration camps and was arrested several times by the Nazis. Also arrested several times by the Communists for his work in iron curtain countries. A vice president of the International Rescue Committee, worked on the Hungarian border during the revolution there, treasurer of the American Immigration Conference (a group working for larger immigration quotas), a director of International Investors Inc., and a limited partner in an investment banking firm, a vice president of the North American Newspaper Alliance, Inc.

CIVIC ACTIVITIES AND ORGANIZATIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

CIA INTERESTS: Felt it "immoral" that Gary Powers was given the means to commit suicide.

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Suggested Guest List

Luncheon for

Senator Claiborne Pell (D., R.I.)

Allen W. Dulles

Director of Central Intelligence

Charles P. Cabell

Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

Lyman B. Kirkpatrick

Inspector General

~~**Robert Amory**~~

~~**Deputy Director (Intelligence)**~~

H. Gates Lloyd

Assistant Deputy Director (Support)

C. Tracy Barnes

Assistant Deputy Director Plans (PP)

John A. Bross

Senior Planning Officer DD/P

[Redacted]

**Member of the Board of National
Estimates**

J. C. King

Chief, WH Division

John S. Warner

Legislative Counsel

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